

# MAHAFFEY NEWS

Mahaffey Camp & Conference Center: A Christian Center for Spiritual Growth

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## UPCOMING EVENTS

#### **TUESDAY, JULY 20**

(Mahaffey Camp T-Shirt Day)

- 1-3pm Cottage Tour (meet at Camp Office)
- 1:30pm Relmagine: Forum with Dr. Stumbo (Dining Hall)
- 2:00pm Party Club with CEF (Children's Ministry Building)
- 3:15pm Cool Breeze Seminar

#### WEDNESDAY, JULY 21

- 8:00am Guided Group Hike (meet at Children's Ministry Building)
- 2:15pm Cool Breeze Seminar
- 6:30pm Children's Penny Parade

#### THURSDAY, JULY 22

- 9:00am Alliance Women's Missions Day at the Grove
- 1:15pm Alliance Women's Rally (Main Tab)
- 2:15pm Cool Breeze Seminar

# PARTY CLUB TODAY

Child Evangelism Fellowship is hosting Party Club today at the Children's Ministry Building! Kids are invited to join in a great big party celebrating the Good News of God's Love!

## **2pm: ages 8-12 | 3pm: ages 5-7** COTTAGE TOUR TODAY

LAST CHANCE to sign up for the Inaugural Cottage Tour! The tour takes place today from **1-3pm**. Cost is \$10 per person and all proceeds benefit the Bridge Reconstruction Project. Tickets can be purchased at the table by the Welcome Center. Tour six different cottages and learn about their history!

# MAIN TABERNACLE SPEAKER BOB RICONDA

Rev. Bob Riconda graduated from Cairn University and has served in New Jersey churches and ministries for over 35 years. He started Hope Chapel C&MA in southern New Jersey and pastored there for 18 years. He was a Regional Team Leader and the Church Planting Director for the C&MA in the greater NYC/Philadelphia area for 11 years. He authored the book *The Insecure Pastor*. In 2019 God moved him to southwestern PA to lead Gospel Alliance Church in fresh ways of knowing Jesus and making Him known. He and his wife, Julie, live in Monongahela, PA. They have three adult children and three grandchildren.

#### Rev. Riconda will be speaking in the 10am services through Saturday.

# FORUM WITH DR. STUMBO THIS AFTERNOON

New York City -> Nyack -> Colorado Springs -> COLUMBUS? As you may have heard, the National Office of the C&MA is moving to Ohio. Our president, Dr. John Stumbo and his wife, Joanna, will be with us today at **1:30pm in the dining hall** to tell the God-sized story of what is happening and to lead an open forum.

## CHILDREN'S PENNY PARADE ON WEDNESDAY

Established 22 years ago, the annual children's project here at camp is to raise funds for the Children's Ministry Building. This multipurpose building is designed in a manner to contain all the present ministries for children. Having a building designed with the kids in mind is not only convenient for the families with many age groups meeting at once, but it is also more conducive in learning for the children. Future plans for the building include indoor basketball hoops and an outdoor attached pavilion entrance way (where the large tent is located this year).

The children will again *March the Mile* on Wednesday evening, gathering offerings as they continue to promote this project to the camp. All parade participants should meet at the Children's Ministry Building entrance area at 6:15pm. Children of all ages are encouraged to attend, bringing banners and signs proclaiming the value this project has created for expanded camp ministries. The parade will begin promptly at 6:30pm prior to the evening service. Every mile of pennies = \$840 and helps to secure funds to finish the building.

Note: For the safety of all who are in the parade, please adhere to the golf cart regulations. We encourage carts to be decorated and in the parade, but only the registered driver is permitted to be behind the wheel. No bicycles, scooters, or four wheelers, etc. are permitted to be ridden in the parade. We ask that for the safety of the children, no candy is thrown at the children or from golf carts.

## **DINING HALL MENU**

#### **TUESDAY DINNER**

Lasagna, breadsticks, salad, banana split dessert.

#### WEDNESDAY BREAKFAST

Cheese and egg crostini, cinnamon rolls, rolled oats, cold cereal, assorted fruit.

#### WEDNESDAY LUNCH

Tacos, baked potato salad, peanut butter and celery sticks, applesauce, salad, rice crispy treats.

Dining Hall meals are served daily at 8am, 12pm, and 5pm, as supplies last.

### CAMP STORE

#### **TUESDAY STORE SPECIALS**

Italian Sausage (lunch and dinner) Funnel Fries (late night)

#### CAMP STORE HOURS

Lunch:	11:30am - 1:00pm
Dinner:	4:30pm - 6:00pm
Late Night:	8:30pm - 10:00pm

Monday Milkshake Total: **483** Monday Record: **651 (1997)** 

**NO PARKING** from the bridge to the store area. For safety purposes, this area is blocked off from all traffic, including vehicles and golf carts.

# COMMEMORATIVE PENS AT CRAFT SHOP

Claim your piece of Mahaffey Camp history! In the Country Craft Shop this year, we have a collection of pens made from wooden boards salvaged from the Main Tabernacle. These pens were handmade by Larry Technitis from Tennessee. Each high-quality pen comes with a Certificate of Authenticity. Check them out today!

## GROSSOEHMES AND ENVISION ATLANTA

Mark and Cheryl Grossoehme, Envision Atlanta, are here through Saturday. Please make an appointment with them to learn about EA's work with refugees and kids and/or to play a game of Family Feud. Meet Alisiba Rai, a 10-year-old Christ-follower who is here with them. Call to make an appointment: 814-289-5537.

## CANVAS PAINTING PARTY

Have you wished camp had arts and crafts for you? It's your turn! There will be a canvas painting party this Friday, and there are still some tickets left! \$20/ person includes supplies and instruction for one 8x10 canvas painting. All proceeds benefit camp ministries! All are welcome to attend, and no experience is necessary. Pre-registration is required; register online at <u>mahaffeycamp.com/family-camp-information/</u> or inquire at the Camp Office. There will be two sessions: 1:00pm and 3:00 pm, Friday, July 23, at the Children's Ministry Building.

# A CLOSER LOOK: CHILDREN'S BIBLE HOUR

Children's Bible Hour meets in two age level sessions each morning at the Children's Ministry Building. An exciting time of singing and Bible lessons paves the way for the gospel message to be shared. This year's theme is **Time Lab** - the kids are traveling back in time to meet the greatest hero of all time: JESUS! Children are encouraged to bring their Bibles and offering each day.

9:30am: ages 8-12 | 10:30am: ages 5-7

**Reminder: the Guided Group Hike is tomorrow morning at 8am!** Meet at the Children's Ministry Building ready for a walk through the woods.

**REMINDER FOR ALLIANCE WOMEN'S GROVE:** If your church is participating as a group in the Grove, please be reminded that no canopy or table is permitted to be placed there until <u>after the conclusion of the Wednesday evening</u> <u>service</u>. Also, all tables and canopies must be removed no later than 1:15pm on Thursday afternoon.

**FIRST AID STATION** (located at the Welcome Center): 9:00-11:30am, 1:30-4:00pm, and 6:00-8:30pm. The after-hours emergency number for first aid on call is 814-592-6814. Please only use this number in an emergency after hours.

**In the event of an emergency** where an ambulance is required, please dial 911, providing the address of Mahaffey Camp, Rt. 219, Mahaffey PA. Immediately then notify security, the first aid staff or the office personnel who will then enact the emergency medical response plan, to open the gate and direct the ambulance to your location. Please be prepared to provide your complete location including a cottage #, RV site# (west, north, east), Dorm# and room#. If you are staying at a cottage, please be sure that all occupants know what number it is.

Parents, grandparents, and others who are responsible for children age 5-12 here on the grounds, **please be sure that your** children are registered and know the location they are staying at: cottage#, RV site# (west, north, east), dorm#/ room#. This will assist the Children's Ministry team greatly when needing to locate a family member. Toddlers that will be attending Preschool Corner or Mission Possible are to be registered also.

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